

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

John R. Klug

Application No. 10/673,073

Filed: September 27, 2003

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
IDENTIFYING, MANAGING, AND  
CONTROLLING COMMUNICATIONS

Examiner: Lazaro, David R.

Art Unit: 2455

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**PETITION FOR EXPRESS ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.138**

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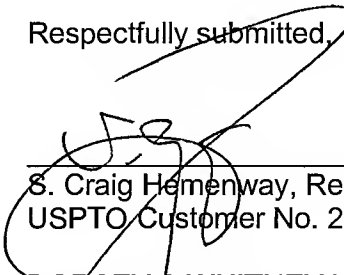
Sir:

This Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.138 is submitted as an express abandonment for the above-identified application. The decision to expressly abandon the above-identified application is made for business purposes only and should not be considered an acquiescence to the rejections or arguments presented in the current Office action or any previous Office actions. As such, the Applicant retains the right to resubmit and assert the claims of the above-identified application in any related application.

Should any issues remain that the Examiner believes may be dealt with in a telephone conference, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 303-629-3400.

Dated: July 16, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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